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In re Patent Application of

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LEATHER et al.

Group Art Unit: 2672

Serial No. 09/726,226

Examiner:

Filed: November 28, 2000

Date: September 15, 2003

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ANTI-ALIASING IN A GRAPHICS SYSTEM

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

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**RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER**

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**AMENDMENT/RESPONSE**

In response to the Office Action dated March 13, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.